

REMARKS

Claims 1, 4-13 and 16 are pending.


The Office Action rejects claims 1, 4-13 and 16 under the judicially created doctrine of obviousness type double patenting. Attached hereto is a terminal disclaimer of US Pat 6,452,178. Accordingly, withdrawal of the rejection is requested.

It is submitted that the application is in condition for allowance. Prompt allowance is requested.

The Office is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayments under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or § 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 11-0600.

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